

Portland March 18th 1865.

Hon Saml May
Governor of Maine
Sir:

I respectfully recommend
Geo. W. Furbish of Portland to be 2^d Lieutenant
of K Co. 20th Maine Inf. vice Wentworth killed
in action. I wish to add in explanation,
that this Mr Furbish has been recruiting
for the 20th Regiment; will make a valuable
officer, and, there have been so many pro-
motions that the good men are quite exhausted
in the rank and file.

Very Respectfully
Your obt Servt.:-

Wm Spear.

Brig. & Col. 20th Maine Inf.

Portland, Me.

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Spear Col Ellis

Recommends G. H. Furbish
for Lieut 20th Me. Vols

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